

Who we are

The Magic of Children in the Arts was started in 1994 by local artist Lory MacDonald. With the help of parent volunteers, it evolved into an annual event at the Collingwood Public Library.

Our mission is to inspire and encourage children to create, exhibit and celebrate the arts. The result is a spectacular display of over 300 artworks created by children from our community.

The show is juried by professional artists, and EACH child receives a positive comment and a prize of art materials. The celebration is highlighted by an awards presentation.

A strong partnership exists between us and the arts community, schools, Collingwood Public Library, local businesses, community groups, parents and volunteers.

We are a registered charitable organization. All funds raised go towards putting on this great show, and the prizes of art materials. Please consider making a donation to this worthwhile event and arts programming.

Dear Parents

Please consider volunteering a few hours.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Privacy Policy: We will not share any personal information
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Calling Young Artists!

In the Nottawa, Duntroon, Clearview and Collingwood area

The Magic of Children in the Arts invites YOU to submit your ARTWORK

Magic of Children in the Arts Exhibition
March 3 to 31, 2012

at the Collingwood Public Library
55 Ste Marie Street





Name _____
 Grade _____
 School _____
 Art Entry # _____
 to be assigned

Artist's Statement Form

The rules are simple!

If you live in or around Nottawa, Duntroon, Cleaview or Collingwood you can enter the show on your own, or through your school if they are participating.

Kindergarten through Grade 8 students and Home schooled children are eligible.

Create your artwork

Choose from one of the following themes.

1. Nature
2. History
3. Imagination

Maximum size for artwork is 18 x 24 inches.

Maximum size for sculptures is width 8 x length 8 x height 10 inches.

Any media can be used: paint, crayon, pastel, collage, mixed media, coloured pencil etc.

Art Workshops Option

Choose **ONE** of four FREE workshops open to Kindergarten through Grade 8 students, Collingwood and Clearview residents.

Jan 28 at The Bay School of Art 1 pm to 4 pm
80 Simcoe St Collingwood (Tremont building).

Feb 4, 11 or 18 from 1 pm to 4 pm Collingwood Public Library in the Free Schools World Literacy Community Room.

Space is limited.

Contact the Collingwood Public Library for FREE Art Workshops registration.

Christine Palka
705-445-1571 x6241

Artist's Statement:

2 Write the artist's statement!

Write and detach the Artist's Statement form in this brochure, and attach securely to the FRONT of your artwork in the bottom RIGHT corner.

Also, write your name, grade, school & phone number on the BACK of your artwork.

Tip: The Artist's Statement is a chance for you to explain what is going on in your picture. Use your imagination! Tell a story.

Download copies of this entry form at:

Collingwood Pubic Library web site
www.collingwoodpubliclibrary.ca

Clearview Township web site
www.clearview.ca

3 Drop off your artwork at the Library

Artwork can be mounted on paper, bristol board or matted, but not framed. Canvas is also accepted.

Drop off Dates

Saturday Feb 25 10 am to 3 pm
Sunday Feb 26 1 pm to 3 pm

Collingwood Public Library
55 Ste. Marie Street
Collingwood, Ontario
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4 Celebrate!

Please join us for the

Magic of Children in the Arts AWARDS CEREMONY

Saturday March 24 from 1 to 4 pm

Receive your prize and pick up your artwork!

Show Dates March 3 to 31 2012

Artwork pick up afterwards is until April 15 in the Children's Department.

Vertical lines for writing the Artist's Statement.

